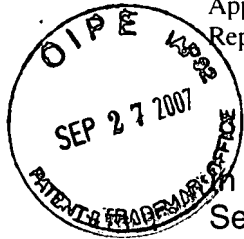


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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated July 17, 2007, for which the three-month shortened statutory period is set to expire on October 17, 2007. While Applicant believes that no extension of time for response is necessary, should the Office determine that any additional fees are necessary for this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 12-2252.

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 17, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

A **Listing of Claims** begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.